

VOTE '94

NEW
JERSEY
LESBIAN & GAY
COALITION

*A Voters' Guide
to
Candidates' Positions
on
Lesbian & Gay Issues*

General Election
Tuesday, November 8
Polls Open 7 am to 8 pm

JESSE HELMS ELECTED PRESIDENT

Pledges To Harass and Imprison All Gays!

In keeping with his campaign promises, President Helms has set up a federal task force to work with organizations like the Traditional Values Coalition and the Concerned Women for America. The President has outlined a three part plan of action for his task force.

1) Set up a nationwide database of gay and lesbian Americans.

2) Using the existing sodomy laws from over twenty states, the task force will begin working with local, state and federal law enforcement officials to arrest and imprison all gay and lesbian citizens of those states.

3) In those states that have decriminalized homosexual activity between consenting adults, the task force will develop a network of concerned Americans to harass and attack gays and lesbians.

Authorizes Death Penalty For Any Woman Who Receives An Abortion

Activating a never before used clause in the United States Constitution, President Helms issued an Executive Order treating abortion as first degree murder punishable by the death penalty. This order takes effect immediately and applies to both the doctor performing the abortion as well as the woman who receives it. In some cases a boyfriend who pays for an abortion can also be charged with murder and sentenced to death.

The President has asked for the assistance of Operation Rescue in immediately closing down all American family planning clinics. Reacting to the news, Operation Rescue members were quoted as saying "who are we going to harass now?"

Appoints Pat Robertson To Oversee Lesbian/Gay Concentration Camps

Using the increasing public fear of AIDS as a catalyst, President Helms has established a cabinet level position, headed by Pat Robertson, to set up "quarantine camps" for "all homosexual persons who have or are perceived to have AIDS." This action, according to the President, "will ensure the healthy future of our children and grandchildren."

Excited about the prospect of his new position, Pat Robertson said "the American people want this, the American people need this, the American people deserve this."

In a press conference the executive director of the American Civil Liberties Union said "Today is the first day of the American Third Reich. No one will be safe from this imminent reign of terror." A brief statement was read from the imprisoned director of the National Gay & Lesbian Task Force "I implore all lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgendered people to leave now. You are no longer considered human in this country."

SOUND SCARY?

HOW CAN YOU PREVENT THIS?

REGISTER---THEN VOTE

GET INVOLVED --- VOLUNTEER

NEW JERSEY LESBIAN & GAY COALITION MEMBERSHIP FORM

Yes! I want to join the New Jersey Lesbian & Gay Coalition in its fight for equality! All memberships include a subscription to 'News Jersey' the Coalition's monthly newsletter. For further information about the Coalition see the back page of this guide.

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INTRODUCTION: HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE:

VOTE is published annually by the Government & Legislative Committee of the New Jersey Lesbian & Gay Coalition. The Coalition does not endorse political candidates and this guide is meant solely to inform New Jersey's lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and HIV+ communities on the positions of candidates on issues of importance to them. The Coalition is challenging New Jersey's gay community to get involved in the political process and make a difference.

The Coalition's A634 Task Force played a leading role in gaining civil rights protections for New Jersey's lesbian, gay & bisexual citizens. To continue as a viable political

force, fighting the radical right and advancing our basic civil rights **WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!** Fred Eisinger and John Parker (this year's production team) hope that you find this guide useful and that it will give you that extra enthusiasm to get involved in the issues that affect your life!

On page 10 you will find a New Jersey map outlining each of the State's 13 congressional districts. If you are not sure of your district, find the one you think you may be in, then check the list of towns provided for each district. The bills and questions referenced under each candidate can be found on pages 8 and 9. Just flip back and forth between these

pages and your district to see where the candidates stand.

All candidates received the NJLGC questionnaire with ample time to respond. Follow up phone calls

were made as a reminder of our deadline. However, candidates' failure to respond is not necessarily an indication that the candidate would have responded negatively. All candidates are listed in alphabetical order.

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**THOUSANDS OF ELECTIONS IN THIS COUNTRY
HAVE BEEN WON BY A SINGLE VOTE!**

ONE VOTE MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

THE POLITICAL BASICS

HOW TO REGISTER

- ✓ You must be a U.S. citizen, and by the next election be 18 years of age and a resident of your county for 30 days.
- ✓ In person at county elections boards and at town/borough/city clerk's offices or by mail by obtaining a form from one of the above or most local libraries.
- ✓ To vote, you must be registered at least 29 days before the election.

HOW TO CONTACT YOUR REPRESENTATIVES

Your legislators are in office to represent you! Do not hesitate to contact them to find out their views on certain issues or to urge them to support or oppose bills. All of our legislators maintain local offices (check the "blue pages" in your telephone directory) and our federal officials also have offices in Washington, D.C.

If you don't find their local addresses, you can write or contact them as indicated below.

(Federal)

Honorable John Doe
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Honorable Jane Smith
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Senator Doe:

Dear Ms Smith:

(State)

Honorable Ruth Jones
New Jersey Senate
State House
Trenton, NJ 08625

Honorable Charles Howard
New Jersey General Assembly
State House
Trenton, NJ 08625

Dear Senator Jones:

Dear Mr. Howard:

[NOTE: state legislators do not maintain offices in the State House with the exception of the Senate President, Assembly Speaker and minority leaders of both houses.]

Not sure who your representatives are? Call your municipal clerk, the NJ Division of Elections (609-292-3760) or the League of Women Voters (800-792-VOTE). United States Senate 202-226-1414. House of Representatives 202-225-2421. New Jersey State House 609-292-2121. Governor's office 609-292-6000.

ELECTIONS

General Elections - held first Tuesday after the first Monday in November. We have the opportunity to vote for candidates for all federal, state, county and, in most places, municipal offices (also see Non-Partisan Municipal below). Referenda and constitutional amendments also appear on the ballot at this time.

- *Members of Congress are elected to two-year terms in even-numbered years.*
- *U.S. Senators are elected to six-years terms during even-numbered years.*
- *New Jersey Assembly members are elected to two-year terms during odd-numbered year.*
- *New Jersey State Senators (pay attention, now) are elected to two-year terms in years ending in "1" (e.g., 1991) and to four-year terms in years ending in "3" and "7" (1993 and 1997 - strange but true).*

Primary Elections - held on first Tuesday after the first Monday in June. You must be registered in a party or declare for one at the polls if you are not.

Non-Partisan Municipal Elections - second Tuesday in May. Almost ninety of the state's 567 municipalities have governments where candidates for mayor and council do not run under major party labels. They are located throughout the state and include a cross-section of towns and suburban communities -- most of the large cities but also the smallest (Pine Valley, population 19).

School Elections - usually held on the first Tuesday in April. Budgets on the ballot as well as candidates for local school boards. These are extremely important although they normally have very low turnout (10% of eligible voters is common). Because there is often very little interest, it is easier for the religious right to elect "stealth" candidates. Such people, whose views are not well known, will advocate the religious right's positions on curriculum, selection of teachers and principals and other crucial education issues on school boards. They have been elected in much of the country and even here in the Garden State.

Sample Ballots - If you are registered to vote, you should receive a sample ballot, listing all candidates and legal and descriptive language for all initiatives, one to two weeks before an election.

**DEMOCRACY IS NOT
A SPECTATOR SPORT
VOTE**

KEY VOTES IN CONGRESS

Senator Lautenberg and incumbent representatives votes on issues of importance to the lesbian, gay and bisexual community are shown on pages 11 through 24. The votes were drawn from Report Cards compiled by the Human Rights Campaign Fund (103rd Congress) and the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (102nd Congress). These issues are briefly described below and are identified by a number for each session. The NJLGC questionnaire was sent to all candidates profiled in this guide - their responses are also shown (by question number) under each candidates name on pages 11 through 24.

SENATE VOTES

103rd Congress

1. **Lesbians and gay men in the military.** A "+" indicates a vote to block codification of the then existing discriminatory policy. Passed 62-37 on 2/4/93.
2. **Prohibition of the Immigration of HIV+ individuals.** A "+" votes indicates opposition to codifying the Department of Health and Human Services' prohibition of the permanent immigration of HIV+ individuals. Passed 76-23 on 2/18/93.
3. **Confirmation of the nomination of Roberta Achtenberg.** A "+" vote indicates support for the nomination of Achtenberg, an open lesbian, as Assistant Secretary for Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity. Passed 58-31 on 5/24/93.
4. **District of Columbia's Domestic Partners Ordinance.** A "+" vote indicates support for unmarried couples to register with the D.C. government making them eligible for group health insurance offered to D.C. employees at a higher rate. Rejected 43-55 on 7/27/93.
5. **Codification of the ban on gays and lesbians in the military.** A "+" indicates a vote to prevent codification of the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy. Rejected 33-63 on 9/9/93.
6. **Hate Crimes Sentencing Enhancement Act.** A "+" indicates support for the amendment to increase penalties for federal crimes motivated by a victim's sexual orientation. This was the first piece of federal legislation to provide protection on the basis of sexual orientation. Passed 95-4 on 11/4/93.
7. **Homosexual seminars - Agriculture appropriations.** A "+" indicates opposition to a Helms amendment prohibiting the Dept. of Agriculture from running seminars or financing any position that encourages its employees to recruit on the basis of gay orientation or to accept homosexuality as a legitimate lifestyle. Passed 92-8 on 7/19/94.
8. **Homosexual lifestyle - Elementary and Secondary Education Reauthorization.** A "+" indicates opposition to another Helms amendment to prohibit agencies receiving money under the bill from encouraging or supporting homosexuality as a positive lifestyle. Passed 63-36 on 8/1/94.

102nd Congress

1. **Health care professionals - invasive procedures.** A "+" vote indicates opposition to a Helms amendment which would make it a federal crime for a doctor, dentist or other health care provider who knows he/she has HIV and continues to perform invasive procedures without informing patients. Passed 81-18 on 7/18/91
2. **Motion to table Helms "HIV testing of Patients" amendment.** A "+" vote supported Sen. Kennedy's motion to table a Helms amendment which would have required the mandatory HIV testing of patients who are about to undergo an invasive procedure. Rejected 44-55 on 7/30/91.
3. **Sexual behavior research.** A "+" vote indicates opposition to Helms' prohibition of funding for sexual behavior research. Passed 51-46 on 4/2/92.
4. **DC Domestic Partners.** A "+" vote indicates support for defeating this amendment to repeal DC domestic partners benefits. Rejected 41-51 on 7/30/92.
5. **"Boy Scouts" amendment.** A "+" vote indicates opposition to Helms' attempt to withhold federal money from any charity who withdraws support for the BSA because of its anti-gay policy. Rejected 49-49 on 9/22/91.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES VOTES

103rd Congress

1. *Lesbians & gay men in the military.* (See Senate) Passed 247-152 on 2/4/93.
2. *Prohibition of the Immigration of HIV+ individuals.* (See Senate) Passed 278-139 on 3/11/93
3. *DC Domestic Partners Ordinance.* (See Senate) Passed 251-177 on 6/30/93
4. *Codification of the ban on gays & lesbians in the military.* (See Senate) Rejected 169-264 on 9/28/93.
5. *Reinstatement of the asking of military personnel's sexual orientation.* A "+" vote indicates opposition to the policy of asking a person's sexual orientation. Rejected 144-291 on 9/28/93.
6. *Elementary & Secondary Education Reauthorization.* A "+" vote indicates opposition to a Doolittle amendment which would have required schools receiving federal funds to teach abstinence as the only effective protection against disease and pregnancy. Passed 262-166 on 3/22/94.
7. *Education Reauthorization - Obscene Material.* This bill would prohibit educational agencies from using federal money to distribute obscene material to minors. The amendment is an attempt to water-down the anti-gay Hancock amendment which would have withheld money from any school which presents homosexuality in a positive way. A "-" vote indicates support for the 'watering down'. Passed 224-194 on 3/24/94.
8. *Military Recruiting.* A "+" vote indicates opposition to this amendment which withholds federal money from any university prohibiting military recruitment. Passed 271-126 on 5/23/94.
9. *DC Domestic Partners.* (See Senate) Passed 251-176 on 7/13/94.

102nd Congress

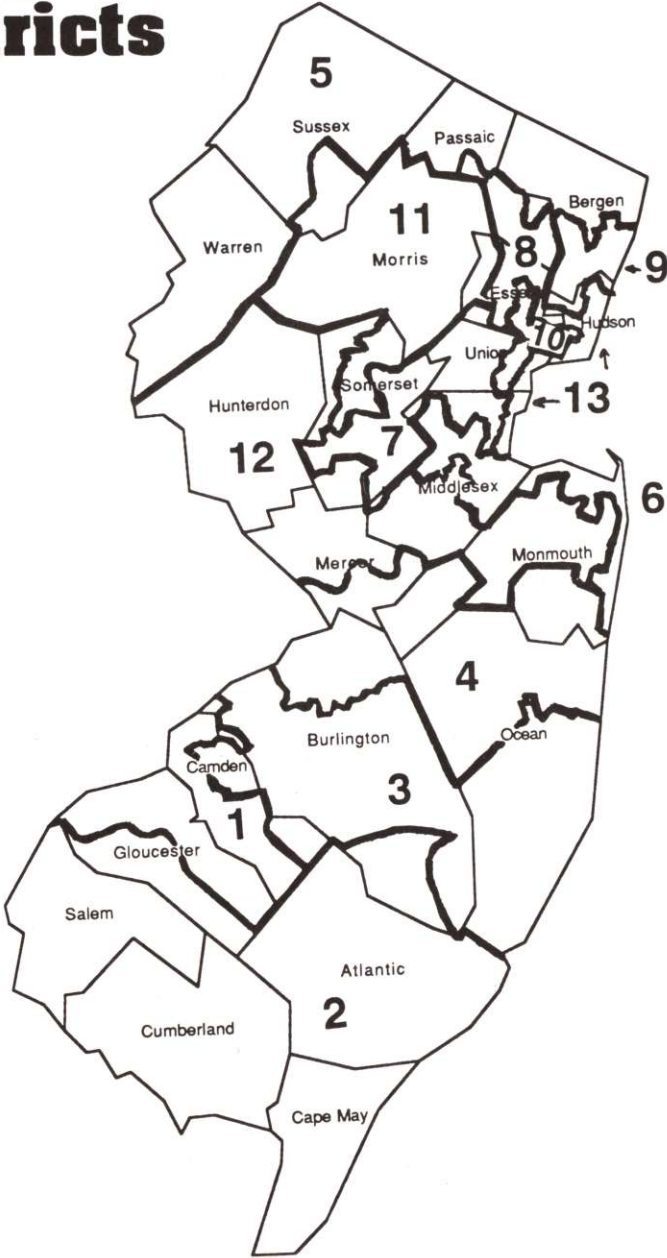
1. *Sexual behavior research.* (See Senate) Rejected 283-137 on 7/25/91.
2. *Sexual behavior research.* (See Senate) Rejected 262-154 on 9/24/91.
3. *DC Domestic Partners.* (See Senate) Passed 235-173 on 9/24/92.

NJLGC QUESTIONNAIRE

(Candidates' responses are listed below their name by district. Y-Yes, N-No, U-Unsure)

1. Should government, at any level, have the right to regulate private non-commercial consensual adult sexual behavior?
2. Would you appoint a qualified openly gay or lesbian person to your staff?
3. Do you support prohibiting discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation in employment, housing, public accommodations, education and federal government programs?
4. Do you support repealing the ban against lesbians and gay men in the military?
5. Do you agree with the emerging scientific evidence that sexual orientation is an inborn human characteristic as basic as hair, eye or skin color?
6. Do you believe that the wave of initiatives to prohibit equal rights for lesbians and gay men which are being voted on around the country are contrary to the principles upon which our nation was founded?
7. Do you believe that violent crimes motivated by hatred of a person's sexual orientation should receive stiffer penalties during sentencing?
8. Do you support extending health and welfare benefits to same-sex couples in committed long-term relationships?
9. Do you believe a parent's sexual orientation should be a determining or influencing factor in custody decisions?
10. Do you believe an applicant's sexual orientation should be a determining or influencing factor in that person's opportunity to adopt a child or become a foster parent?
11. Should HIV testing be mandatory?
12. Do you support protecting the anonymity of a person with regard to their HIV status?

New Jersey Congressional Districts



SENATE CANDIDATES

GARABED "CHUCK" HAYTAIAN

Republican, Hackettstown

NJLGC Questionnaire *While Speaker Haytaian did not complete the questionnaire, he did respond with a letter indicating that it was not his policy to do so as well as general campaign information including a position paper on his support for human rights (without specific mention of sexual orientation). The letter also invited us to meet with him.*

✓ *As Assembly Minority Leader, he did not cast a vote on our civil rights, although he did not discourage others from doing so. (The bill passed with bipartisan support.)*

SENATOR FRANK R. LAUTENBERG

Democrat, Secaucus

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+				
Votes of the 102nd	-	+	+	+	+							
NJLGC Questionnaire	N	Y	Y	Y	U	Y	*	*	*	N	Y	

[* Note: Sen. Lautenberg supported the issues raised in questions 8,9 and 10 but deferred to the state gov't and local professionals in making specific decisions.]

✓ *Co-sponsored anti-discrimination bill in both the 103rd and 102nd Congress.*

✓ *Signed a statement indicating that sexual orientation was not a consideration in making employment decisions regarding his staff.*

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

1st CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

BURLINGTON: Maple Shade, Palmyra, Riverton; CAMDEN: Audubon, Audubon Park, Barrington, Bellmawr, Berlin Boro, Berlin Twp., Brooklawn, Camden, Chesilhurst, Clementon, Collingswood, Gibbsboro, Gloucester City, Gloucester Twp., Haddon Twp. (part), Haddon Heights, Hi-Nella, Laurel Springs, Lawnside, Lindenwold, Magnolia, Mt. Ephraim, Oaklyn, Pennsauken, Pine Hill, Pine Valley, Runnemede, Somerdale, Stratford, Tavistock, Voorhees, Winslow, Woodlynne; GLOUCESTER: Deptford, East Greenwich, Greenwich, Logan, Mantua (part), Monroe, National Park, Paulsboro, Washington, Wenonah, West Deptford, Westville, Woodbury, Woodbury Heights.

REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT E. ANDREWS

Democrat, Bellmawr

Votes of the 103rd

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Votes of the 102nd

+ + +

NJLGC Questionnaire

Failed to respond

✓ *Signed the HRCF statement indicating that sexual orientation was not a consideration in making employment decisions regarding his staff.*

✓ *Co-sponsored anti-discrimination bill in 102nd Congress.*

JAMES N. HOGAN

Republican, Franklinville

NJLGC Questionnaire

Failed to respond

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

2nd CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

ATLANTIC: All; BURLINGTON: Washington Twp.; CAPE MAY: All; CUMBERLAND: All; GLOUCESTER: Clayton, Elk, Franklin, Glassboro, Harrison, Mantua (part), Newfield, Pitman, South Harrison, Swedesboro, Woolwich; SALEM: all.

FRANK A. LoBIONDO
Republican, Vineland

NJLGC Questionnaire Failed to respond

✓ In the Assembly, Mr. LoBiondo voted against our civil rights as well as for an amendment that would have effectively prevented the bill from even coming to a vote.

LOUIS N. MAGAZZU
Democrat, Vineland

NJLGC Questionnaire Failed to respond

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

5rd CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

BURLINGTON: Bass River, Beverly, Cinnaminson, Delanco, Delran, Edgewater Park, Evesham, Hainesport, Lumberton, Medford, Medford Lakes, Moorestown, Mount Holly, Mount Laurel, New Hanover, Pemberton Boro, Pemberton Twp., Riverside, Shamong, Southampton, Tabernacle, Willingboro, Woodland, Wrightstown (part); CAMDEN: Cherry Hill, Haddon Twp. (part), Haddonfield, Merchantville, Waterford OCEAN: Barnegat Twp., Barnegat Light, Beach Haven, Beachwood, Berkeley, Dover Twp. (part), Eagleswood, Harvey Cedars, Island Heights, Lacey, Lavallette, Little Egg Harbor, Long Beach, Ocean Twp., Ocean Gate, Pine Beach, Seaside Heights, Seaside Park, Ship Bottom, South Toms River, Stafford, Surf City, Tuckerton.

REPRESENTATIVE H. JAMES SAXTON

Republican, Vincentown

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-			
Votes of the 102nd	-	-	-									
NJLGC Questionnaire	Failed to respond											

JAY WILLIAMS

Democrat, Mount Laurel

NJLGC Questionnaire	Failed to respond
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Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

4th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

BURLINGTON: Bordentown city, Bordentown Twp., Burlington city, Burlington Twp., Chesterfield, Eastampton, Fieldsboro, Florence, Mansfield, North Hanover, Springfield, Westampton, Wrightstown (part); MERCER: East Windsor, Hamilton, Hightstown, Trenton, Washington; MONMOUTH: Allentown, Brielle, Farmingdale, Howell, Manasquan, Millstone, Roosevelt, Spring Lake Heights (part), Upper Freehold, Wall; OCEAN: Bay Head, Brick, Dover Twp. (part), Jackson, Lakehurst, Lakewood, Manchester, Mantoloking, Plumstead, Point Pleasant, Point Pleasant Beach.

REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTOPHER H. SMITH

Republican, Robbinsville

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Votes of the 102nd	-	-	-									
NJLGC Questionnaire	Failed to respond											

RALPH WALSH

Democrat, Freehold

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
NJLGC Questionnaire	N	Y	Y	Y	U	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y

*Would co-sponsor and vote for legislation that would
✓ prohibit employment discrimination based on sexual orientation.*

✓ increase penalties for hate crimes.

*✓ establish a national commission to study and prevent
suicide by lesbian and gay youth.*

*✓ set up a "Manhattan Project" type effort to find a cure for
AIDS.*

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

5th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

BERGEN: Allendale, Alpine, Bergenfield, Closter, Cresskill, Demarest, Dumont, Emerson, Fair Lawn (part), Franklin Lakes, Glen Rock, Harrington Park, Haworth, Hillsdale, Ho-Ho-Kus, Mahwah, Midland Park, Montvale, Northvale, Norwood, Oakland, Old Tappan, Oradell, Paramus, Park Ridge, Ramsey, Ridgewood, River Vale, Rochelle Park, Rockleigh, Saddle River, Tenafly, Upper Saddle River, Waldwick, Washington, Westwood, Woodcliff Lake, Wyckoff; PASSAIC: Hawthorne, North Haledon (part), Ringwood, Wanaque, West Milford; SUSSEX: Andover Boro, Andover Twp., Branchville, Frankford, Franklin, Fredon, Green, Hamburg, Hampton, Hardyston, Lafayette, Montague, Newton, Sandyston, Stillwater, Sussex, Vernon, Walpack, Wantage; WARREN: All.

BILL AUER
Democrat, Allendale

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
NJLGC Questionnaire	NY	U	U	Y	Y	U	U	N	Y	U	Y	

*Would co-sponsor and vote for legislation which would -
✓ prohibit employment discrimination based on sexual orientation.*

✓ increase penalties for hate crimes.

Opposed to legislation which would -

✓ establish a national commission to study and prevent suicide by gay and lesbian youth.

✓ set up a "Manhattan Project" type effort to find a cure for AIDS.

REPRESENTATIVE MARGE ROUKEMA
Republican, Ridgewood

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-			
Votes of the 102nd	-	-	-									
NJLGC Questionnaire	Failed to respond											

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

6th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

MIDDLESEX: Dunellen, Edison (part), Highland Park, Metuchen, Milltown, New Brunswick, North Brunswick, Old Bridge, Piscataway, South Amboy, South River, Spotswood; MONMOUTH: Aberdeen, Allenhurst, Asbury Park, Atlantic Highlands, Avon-by-the-Sea, Belmar, Bradley Beach, Deal, Hazlet, Highlands, Keansburg, Keyport, Loch Arbor, Long Branch, Matawan, Middletown (part), Monmouth Beach, Neptune Twp., Neptune city, Red Bank, Sea Bright, Sea Girt, South Belmar, Spring Lake, Spring Lake Heights (part), Union Beach.

MIKE HERSON

Republican, Middletown

NJLGC Questionnaire Failed to respond

REPRESENTATIVE FRANK PALLONE, JR.

Democrat, Long Branch

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+			
Votes of the 102nd	+	+	+									
NJLGC Questionnaire												

Failed to respond

✓ *Co-sponsored anti-discrimination bill in both the 103rd and 102nd Congress.*

✓ *Signed the HRCF statement indicating that sexual orientation was not a consideration in making employment decisions regarding his staff.*

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8th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

ESSEX: Belleville, Bloomfield, Cedar Grove, Glen Ridge, Maplewood (part), Montclair (part), Nutley, South Orange (part), Verona, West Orange (part); PASSAIC: Clifton, Haledon, Little Falls, North Haledon (part), Passaic, Paterson, Pompton Lakes, Prospect Park, Totowa, Wayne, West Paterson.

REPRESENTATIVE HERB KLEIN

Democrat, Clifton

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	?	+			
Votes of the 102nd	Did not serve in 102nd											
NJLGC Questionnaire	Failed to respond											

✓ *Signed the HRCF statement indicating that sexual orientation was not a consideration in making employment decisions regarding his staff.*

BILL MARTINI

Republican, Clifton

NJLGC Questionnaire	Failed to respond
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Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

9th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

BERGEN: Bogota, Carlstadt, Cliffside, East Rutherford, Edgewater, Elmwood Park, Englewood, Englewood Cliffs, Fair Lawn (part), Fairview, Fort Lee, Garfield, Hackensack, Hasbrouck Heights, Leonia, Little Ferry, Lodi, Lyndhurst, Maywood, Moonachie, New Milford, North Arlington, Palisades Park, Ridgewood, Ridgewood Park, River Edge, Rutherford, Saddle Brook, South Hackensack, Teaneck, Teterboro, Wallington, Wood-Ridge; HUDSON: Jersey City (part), Kearny (part), North Bergen (part), Secaucus.

PETER J. RUSSO
Republican, Lyndhurst

NJLGC Questionnaire Failed to respond.

REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT G. TORRICELLI
Democrat, Englewood

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	+	+	+	+	?	-	+			
Votes of the 102nd	+	+	+									
NJLGC Questionnaire	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y

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Would co-sponsor and vote for legislation which would -

✓ *increase penalties for hate crimes.*

✓ *establish a national commission to study and prevent suicide by gay and lesbian youth.*

✓ *set up a "Manhattan Project" type effort to find a cure for AIDS.*

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

10th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

ESSEX: East Orange, Irvington, Maplewood (part), Montclair (part), Newark (part), Orange, South Orange (part), West Orange (part); HUDSON: Bayonne (part), Jersey City (part); UNION: Elizabeth (part), Hillside, Linden (part), Rahway, Roselle, Union Twp. (part).

JIM FORD
Republican, Elizabeth

NJLGC Questionnaire Failed to respond.

REPRESENTATIVE DONALD M. PAYNE
Democrat, Newark

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Votes of the 102nd	+	+	+									
NJLGC Questionnaire	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y

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11th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

ESSEX: Caldwell, Essex Fells, Fairfield, Livingston, Millburn (part), North Caldwell, Roseland, West Caldwell; MORRIS: All; PASSAIC: Bloomingdale; SOMERSET: Bernards, Bridgewater (part), Raritan, Somerville; SUSSEX: Byram, Hopatcong, Ogdensburg, Sparta, Stanhope.

RODNEY P. FRELINGHUYSEN

Republican, Morristown

NJLGC QUESTIONNAIRE Mr. Frelinghuysen had just been designated as a candidate when we went to press therefore he was unable to return our questionnaire in time. He replaced Rep. Dean Gallo who withdrew due to health reasons.

✓ As a member of the Assembly, voted for our civil rights.

FRANCIS X. HERBERT

Democrat, Sparta

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NJLGC QUESTIONNAIRE N Y Y Y Y Y U Y N N U Y

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✓ increase penalties for hate crimes.

*Would vote for legislation which would -
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✓ set up a "Manhattan Project" type effort to find a cure for AIDS.

Please refer to Questionnaire on page 9.

12th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

HUNTERDON: All; MERCER: Ewing, Hopewell Boro, Hopewell Twp., Lawrence, Pennington, Princeton Boro, Princeton Twp., West Windsor; MIDDLESEX: Cranbury, East Brunswick, Helmetta, Jamesburg, Monroe, Plainsboro, South Brunswick; MONMOUTH: Colts Neck, Eatontown, Englishtown, Fair Haven, Freehold Boro, Freehold Twp., Holmdel, Interlaken, Little Silver, Manalapan, Marlboro, Middletown (part), Ocean, Oceanport, Rumson, Shrewsbury Boro, Shrewsbury Twp., Tinton Falls, West Long Branch; SOMERSET: Bedminster, Bernardsville, Branchburg, Far Hills, Montgomery, Peapack-Gladstone, Rocky Hill.

JOSEPH YOUSOUF

Democrat, Freehold

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
NJLGC Questionnaire	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
<i>Would co-sponsor and vote for legislation which would -</i>												
<i>✓ prohibit employment discrimination based on sexual orientation.</i>												
<i>✓ increase penalties for hate crimes.</i>												
<i>✓ establish a national commission to study and prevent suicide by gay and lesbian youth.</i>												
<i>✓ set up a "Manhattan Project" type effort to find a cure for AIDS.</i>												

REPRESENTATIVE DICK ZIMMER

Republican, Flemington

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Votes of the 102nd	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NJLGC Questionnaire	Failed to respond											
<i>✓ Signed the HRCF statement indicating that sexual orientation was not a consideration in making employment decisions regarding his staff.</i>												

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

15th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

ESSEX: Newark (part); HUDSON: Bayonne (part), East Newark, Guttenberg, Harrison, Hoboken, Jersey City (part), Kearny (part), North Bergen (part), Union City, Weehawken, West New York; MIDDLESEX: Carteret, Perth Amboy, Woodbridge (part); UNION: Elizabeth (part), Linden (part).

FERNANDO A. ALONSO

Republican, Union City

NJLGC Questionnaire Failed to respond.

REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT MENENDEZ

Democrat, Union City

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Votes of the 103rd	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+			
Votes of the 102nd	Did not serve in 102nd											
NJLGC Questionnaire	N	Y	Y	U	Y	Y	Y	U	U	U	N	Y

√ *Current co-Sponsor of the Employment Non-Discrimination Act*

√ *Signed the HRCF statement indicating that sexual orientation was not a consideration in making employment decisions regarding his staff.*

Would co-sponsor and vote for legislation which would --

√ *establish a national commission to study and prevent suicide by gay and lesbian youth.*

√ *set up a "Manhattan Project" type effort to find a cure for AIDS.*

√ *While State Senator, voted for our civil rights in both the Senate Judiciary Committee and on the floor of the Senate.*

Please refer to Key Votes and Questionnaire on pages 8-9.

ASSEMBLY CANDIDATES

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY RACES - Members of the New Jersey General Assembly are elected for two-year terms during odd-numbered years - two from each of the state's 40 Legislative Districts. The seats below were vacated this year and have been filled by appointment of a person of the same party until the next general election. Those elected this November will serve the balance of the term (through early January 1996).

8th Legislative District

ATLANTIC: Folsom, Hammonton; **BURLINGTON**: Evesham, Hainesport, Lumberton, Medford, Medford Lakes, Moorestown, Mount Laurel, Shamong, Southampton; **CAMDEN**: Chesilhurst, Waterford, Winslow

Assemblymember Francis Bodine	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Republican	Failed to respond.
Mary McKeon Stosuy	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Democrat	NY YYU YU YNN NY

10th Legislative District

MONMOUTH: Belmar, Manasquan, Sea Girt, South Belmar, Spring Lake, Spring Lake Heights; **OCEAN**: Bay Head, Brick, Dover, Lavalette, Mantoloking, Point Pleasant, Point Pleasant Beach (the candidates in this district were designated too late to receive a NJLGC questionnaire)

Assemblymember James Holzapfel	Louis B. Wary, Jr.
Republican	Democrat

18th Legislative District

MIDDLESEX: East Brunswick, Edison, Metuchen, Milltown, North Brunswick, South River

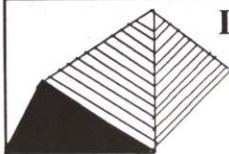
Barbara Buono	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Democrat	NYYYYYYYNUNY
Assemblymember Joanna Gregory-Scocchi	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Republican	NYYYUYYYNNUY

24th Legislative District

HUNTERDON: Califon, Glen Gardner, Hampton, High Bridge, Lebanon, Tewksbury; **MORRIS**: Chester Borough and Township, Mount Olive, Netcong, Washington; **SUSSEX**: All

Assemblymember Guy Gregg	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Republican	YYYNUUUNN*NY Y
	(* influencing, not determining factor)
Cooper H. Morris	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Democrat	NYYYUYUYUNYY

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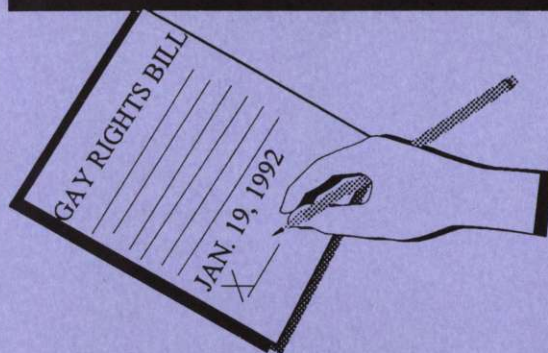


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